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Client Reference: T7KO-03S1080

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:  
SUMIO ASHIDA ET AL.

Confirmation Number: 8024

Application No.: 10/717,963

Group Art Unit: 1756

Filed: November 21, 2003

Examiner: ANGEBRANDT, Martin J.

For: PHASE-CHANGE OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM

**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

**FEES**

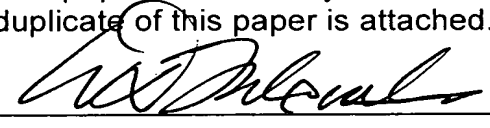
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TOTAL	18	-	21	= 0	= \$
INDEP.	3	-	3	= 0	= \$
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 0.00

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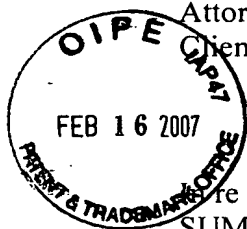
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendments**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2006, the date for responding being February 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: